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IN THE LINITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Amalfitano et al. Group Art Unit: 1633

Serial No.: 10/511,980 Examiner: Sajjadi, Fereydoun Ghotb

Filed: April 7, 2005 Docket No.: 180/151 PCT/US

Confirmation No.: 7130

For: VIRAL VECTORS AND METHODS FOR PRODUCING AND USING THE SAME

AFTER FINAL AMENDMENT B

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is responsive to the Final Official Action dated November 17, 2008, having an extended term for Response that expires on May 17, 2009. Since May 17, 2009 is a Sunday, the deadline is automatically extended to Monday, May 18, 2009. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account Number 50-0426 in the amount of \$555.00 to cover the extension fee for a small entity.

Favorable consideration is respectfully requested in view of the following Amendment and Remarks and further in view of the Request for Continued Examination (RCE) submitted herewith.

AMENDMENT

Please amend the subject application as follows: